

CARNEGIE GIVES HIS VIEWS ON HIGH LIVING

Says People are Living on Too Expensive a Scale--Is a Great Admirer of Theodore Roosevelt.

By Associated Press
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18.—Andrew Carnegie passed through Los Angeles from the east today on his way to Santa Barbara. Accompanying the philanthropist were his wife and daughter Margaret and Charles R. Taylor of Pittsburgh. Carnegie talked freely with a representative of the Associated Press on political conditions, the high cost of living and the trusts. "Roosevelt is one of the greatest men in the world," he said. "I admire him intensely. I am going to London to meet him on May 15 and want to be among the first to clasp his hand on his return from Africa." "Roosevelt is not only a statesman of rare wisdom, but he is ab-

solutely without guile. His policies are dictated by his unselfish love of country and the present conditions of his country testify to his foresight.

Carnegie commended the former president's attitude towards the trusts as a wise one. Continuing Carnegie said: "President Taft is following Roosevelt's policies, but he is of a different disposition, and goes at things in a different way." In speaking of the price of meat and other necessities of life, Carnegie said: "Oh, there's no doubt they are high. Of course, we live too high. We all want the best cut, where formerly we did not. We all want to wear real wool and of us have a yearning for silk hosiery. We are simply living on a too expensive scale."

Officers Grilled by the Grand Jury for Lax Office Hours

By Associated Press
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—The report of the grand jury, filed with the presiding judge, Van Nostrand, before their discharge today, contained a letter from District Attorney Fickert, in which W. J. Burns, and other agents of the preceding occupant of his office, were accused of withholding evidence that they had gathered in the graft

cases. Fickert's letter also asserted that James Gallagher, the main witness of the prosecution, had left the state with the consent and knowledge of William J. Burns. The report denounces the county jail as a nursery of corruption and school for crime. Several city and county officials were grilled for the careless manner in which their offices are conducted and they are especially rebuked for lax office hours.

MAY CONNECT DR. BURKE WITH DYNAMITING

By Associated Press
SANTA ROSA, Feb. 18.—The grand jury of Sonoma county, at a special session today, began the investigation of the explosion in the tent house of Luella Smith on the Sanitarium grounds of Dr. Willard Burke, by hearing the evidence against Burke who was arrested in connection with the alleged attempt to kill the Smith woman and her eleven months old baby. The inquisitorial body devoted most of its time in efforts to determine just where Burke was at the precise moment the explosion occurred, and for that purpose interrogated a number of employees of the Burke sanitarium. Two short sessions were held and an adjournment was taken until next Wednesday.

CONVICT SLAVE DEALER.

By Associated Press
SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 18.—Max Thurna, charged with being a "white slave" owner, was found guilty by a jury in the superior court today. Evidence introduced during the trial, consisting largely of correspondence between Thurna and friends in other cities, showed that Thurna was making a profit of \$150 a week out of his "slaves." The evidence was secured by United States immigration inspectors, who are waging war on the "white slave" traffic in the northwest.

SENATOR PERKINS BACK IN THE HARNESS

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Senator Perkins of California, was in his seat in the senate today for the first time in more than six weeks. His absence was due to an injury to his spine received by falling on the ice after the Christmas holidays.

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TOP BOSS OF CHERRY COAL MINE IS WOUNDED

By Associated Press
CHERRY, Ill., Feb. 18.—An attempt to assassinate one of the St. Paul company's bosses was added to the tragedy of the Cherry mine disaster today. A dismissed employee named Melas Manditch stepped up behind Charles Atherton, known as the top boss, and fired three shots into his body. Atherton is probably fatally wounded. The shooting occurred in the midst of the work of recovering the 177 bodies entombed in the mine. Eleven bodies were recovered today. Some of the mine inspectors say the bodies resembled mummies.

TO TRY FOR WORLD'S BALLOON RECORD

By Associated Press
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Clifford B. Harmon, who owns the spherical balloon New York, and who holds the American record for length of time spent continuously in the air, left today for San Antonio, Texas, where the New York is now to go after the Lahm cup and the world's record for continuous flying.

MINING ENGINEER ARRESTED.

By Associated Press
DENVER, Feb. 18.—W. Francis Gunn, who claims to be a mining engineer of San Francisco and who has passed under the name of George F. Gunn, when in Denver, was arrested tonight for passing fraudulent checks.

GOLDFIELD HAS ORE AT 1,000-FOOT LEVEL

(Special to the Bonanza.)
GOLDFIELD, Feb. 18.—It was announced today that ore, valued at \$100 to the ton, was found at the 1,000-foot level of the Clamont shaft on the Consolidated workings. The new shoot is also said to assay in spots as high as \$500, but the former value is believed to be a good average.

SEN. TILLMAN SUFFERS STROKE OF PARALYSIS

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Benjamin Ryan Tillman, the senior senator from South Carolina, is critically ill. The Senator's right side is almost wholly paralyzed, and aphasia has developed as a result of cerebral hemorrhage on the left side of the brain. He has nearly lost the power of articulation. A consultation of physicians was held this afternoon after which it was announced the senator's condition was extremely serious and that the outcome was doubtful. This is Tillman's second stroke of paralysis. The first occurred nearly two years ago when he suffered a nervous breakdown.

BASEBALL MAGNATE DIES AT SAN FRANCISCO

By Associated Press
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Eugene F. Bert, aged 45 years, the former state senator and baseball magnate, died today after an illness of several days. Before the fire of 1906 Bert was president of the Pacific coast league.

CROSS EXAMINATION OF GLAVIS WILL SOON REACH ITS FINISH

Ballinger's Counsel is Nearing End of His Interrogations--More Dispatches are Brought Into Light.

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Glavis was under cross-examination all day before the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee, and when the adjournment was taken until morning there was an indication that John Vertrees, counsel for Ballinger was approaching the end of his fire of interrogations. Vertrees and Glavis had several long wrangles during the afternoon as to the meaning of many letters and telegrams. A typical instance was a telegram from Ballinger in reply to a message from Commissioner Dennett of the land office, in which the secretary stated his reluctance to act in the Alaska cases and suggested that Dennett make the necessary orders himself as to the proposed hearings. Vertrees sought to show that this meant that Ballinger was not directing the Alaska cases in any way whatsoever. Glavis, on the other hand, insisted that the only construction

that he could put upon the telegrams was that it showed that none of the officials in the department dared to do anything in the cases without first consulting the secretary. Glavis contended the telegram conveyed specific orders by Ballinger.

Vertrees in the morning session, drew from the witness the fact that at the time the Cunningham claims were ordered "clear listed," in January, 1908, and up to the time that Ballinger left the service as commissioner of the land office on March 4, 1908, there had been no adverse reports on these claims and that the Cunningham journal which contained the first evidence of an alleged agreement among the claimants had not then been discovered. Late in the afternoon the session was devoted to an inquiry into the motives of Glavis in seeking the assistance of Gifford Pinchot. Glavis said he went to him because he had faith in him and felt he was absolutely sincere.

"WETS" WIN IN OHIO.

By Associated Press
COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 18.—The "wets" won a pronounced victory in the senate yesterday, when, by a vote of 18 to 14 the Dean bill, amending the Rose county local option law, so as to exempt cities from its operation, was sent to the committee on municipal affairs, an avowedly "wet" committee.

GOLDFIELD HIGH SCHOOL BESTS TONOPAH TEAM

(Special to the Bonanza.)
GOLDFIELD, Feb. 18.—The Goldfield high school basketball team defeated the Tonopah high school team this evening in a fast and furious game by a score of thirty-five to seventeen. One of the largest crowds on record was in attendance. The lads from the north were outmatched from the start and were considerably handicapped by being overweighed.

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QUIET REIGNS ON STREETS OF CAIRO

Three Companies of Militia Have Situation Well in Hand--Negro Who Escaped Mob Receives Sentence.

By Associated Press
CAIRO, Feb. 18.—With three companies of militia guarding the courthouse and jail, under the direct supervision of Adjutant General Frank Dickinson of Springfield, this city settled down tonight to complete quiet after a strenuous twenty-four hours. Authorities believe they have the situation well in hand. Threats have been made against Sheriff Fred Nellis for the killing of Alexander Halliday early this morning by his deputies, and for the wounding of four others in beating back the crowd that would lynch the negro purse-snatcher, but the presence of the soldiers is having a good effect. John Pratt, the negro the mob intended to lynch,

was today given an indeterminate sentence of not more than fourteen years in the Chester penitentiary on each of the two charges of robbery, and will be taken secretly to prison tomorrow morning with twelve other convicted prisoners. Pratt's indictment and sentence took less than half an hour. At 3 o'clock he was sent for and the indictment returned and ten minutes later he pleaded guilty. He was sentenced immediately. Lincoln Wilson, who was arrested as a suspected companion of Pratt, was released tonight. Judge Butler, in charge of the grand jury, ordered a searching investigation of last night's rioting and attack on the jail.

Crowd to Wait Ten Days for the Land Office Drawing

By Associated Press
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18.—In a line that extends from the Chamber of Commerce building where the United States land office is located, along Broadway to the corner of First street, 210 people are passing the long hours tonight and these must remain until 9 o'clock on the morning of March 1, when 173 of them will be privileged to file on

as many homesteads of forty acres each in the Yuma irrigation project. Chairs and boxes are provided for the people in line and one man has a combination chair and bed. One thousand dollars is offered for the first place in the line and six hundred dollars for any of the next nine places. Five women are in line, as is also a gray-haired civil war veteran who holds number 200.

TROOPS FIGHT FOR THREE DAYS IN NICARAGUA

By Associated Press
MANAGUA, Feb. 18.—The fighting at St. Vincente, between the government forces, and insurgents under Estrada, Mena and Matufi, which began Tuesday and continued through Wednesday, was resumed this morning. The result of the fighting is unknown here, and the number of casualties is not given out.

MAYOR ALEXANDER WARNS THE BREWERS

By Associated Press
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18.—"When the brewers realize that their business is making the beer, not conducting the city government, they will have no further trouble with the police commission," said Mayor George Alexander today in announcing the policy of the city administration with relation to the regulation of the liquor traffic. Twenty-one saloon licenses were revoked by the commission on the ground that they were held by "dummies" of the so-called "brewery trust." This action followed a report by a special investigating committee, which alleged the brewers were attempting to control the entire saloon business of the city by acquiring permits already granted to individuals and bringing pressure to bear on the independents to drive them into the combine. It was charged by the commission that the "trust" maintained a large political fund to which all saloonkeepers were forced to contribute.

SEIZE BRAGANZA NOTES.

By Associated Press
BERLIN, Feb. 18.—The police agents have taken possession of the promissory notes, amounting to \$100,000, which were given by Prince Joseph of Braganza in a mining venture to a man whom the prince says he supposed to be Frederick Vanderbilt of New York.

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WILL INDICT PACKING COMPANIES IN NEW JERSEY

By Associated Press
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Prosecutor Garvan said tonight, in acting upon his recommendation, the Hudson county grand jury of New Jersey had instructed him to draw up a form of indictment against the National Packing company and its directors. The grand jury, he said, had positive evidence that food products in some instances were kept in cold storage for seven years. It was stated tonight that the National Packing company had already been indicted.

JAPS IN BUNCO GAME.

By Associated Press
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18.—The facility with which the Japanese compass the ways of the Occidental civilization was illustrated today when four suits were filed against an equal number of Japanese defendants, the plaintiffs, also being sons of Nippon. In each instance judgment of \$500 was asked for.

It develops that the defendants, constituting the Japanese Farmers' association, circulated among the brown horticulturists of southern California, urging them to boycott a Los Angeles market. Many signed agreements to do so, discovering later that the agreements were promissory notes for \$500 each. Four Japanese have sued to set aside the notes. They say many of their neighbors are in a similar plight.

FAVOR JAPS AND CHINESE.

By Associated Press
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18.—The chamber of commerce of this city placed itself on record last night as favoring a wide-open door in California for Chinese and Japanese immigration. The matter was presented in the report of the immigration committee. The report says: "For the handling of the citrus fruit industry and for the raising of vegetables and agricultural products California needs the Chinese and the Japanese."